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Subject: RE; microsoft settlement

I HAVE FOLLOWED THE PROCEEDINGS FOR THE PAST THREE YEARS AND I FIRMLY BELIEVE

IT HAS FINALLY COME TO A SATISFACTORY AND ACCEPTABLE CONCLUSION. I REFER TO THE LONG AT&T CASE WHICH TOOK MANY YEARS AND RESULTED IN A HUGE EXPENSE TO

THE GOVERNMENT AND SUBSTANTIALLY INCREASED TELEPHONE USAGE COSTS TO THE

CONSUMER. WHAT MAKES IT EVEN MORE LUDICROUS IS THAT THE SPLIT COMPANIES HAVE

MANAGED TO ALLY THEMSELVES WITH EACH OTHER. THOSE WHO DESIRE TO EXTEND THE

CONTROVERSY ARE DOING IT FOR SELFISH PERSONAL GAIN. LET US AVOID ANOTHER AT&T

DEBACLE. VERY TRULY YOURS----DAVID KAUFMAN